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AMENDMENT AND REPLY

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Communication dated November 5, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

In compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.823(a), please insert the attached paper copy of the "Sequence Listing" after the last page of the above-identified application to replace the Sequence Listing previously filed on September 13, 2001.

Kindly replace the paragraph beginning at page 6, line 4, with the following:

In a preferred version of the first embodiment of the invention X in position

1 is E, X in position 2 is A, X in position 5 is C, X in position 7 is Q, X in position 11 is